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Gentlemen:

River Bend Station-Unit1 Docket No. 50-458 NRC Bulletin 88-04

Gulf States Utilities Company (GSU) provided a response to NRC Bulletin 88-06 "Potential Safety-Related Pump Loss" on July 7, 1988 (RBG-28213). One of the concerns of this bulletin required verification that vendor specified minimum flow values for safety-related centrifugal pumps were adequate. At the time of the original response submittal, GSU had not received such verification from the RCIC pump vendor and had committed to provide it when it was received. The minimum flow value specified for the RCIC pump has now beer verified by the pump vendor as adequate.

Sincerely,

J. E. Booker

Manager-River Bend Oversight River Bend Nuclear Group

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STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON

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J. E. Booker, being duly sworn, states that he is Manager-River Bend Oversight for Gulf States Utilities Company; that he is authorized on the part of said Company to sign and file with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission the documents attached hereto; that he has read all of the statements contained in such documents attached thereto and made a part thereof; and that all such statements made and matters set forth therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

J. E. Booker

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County above named, this 8 day of SEPTEMBER 1988.

Notary Public in and for Jefferson County, Texas

My Commission Expires:

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